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Police Department

SPECIAL POLICE UNITS

The men and women who are members of the Hoover Police Department are committed to providing a safe environment for people, who live, work and visit the city. Of the 165 employees, approximately 75% are sworn personnel who risk their lives daily in performing their duties.

Hoover's police officers are highly skilled and dedicated workers, many of whom are trained to specialize in areas of law enforcement such as a Crime Lab, Investigations Division, a Strategic Response Team, Bomb Disposal Technicians, a K-9 Unit, and a Traffic Accident Reconstruction Team. Other officers focus on crime prevention through patrols and by working with schools and neighborhoods to foster crime awareness and drug prevention programs.

D.A.R.E. (Drug Abuse Resistance Education) is probably the program most familiar to the community. Three officers and a School Resource Officer work with students and parents to increase drug awareness and resistance education.

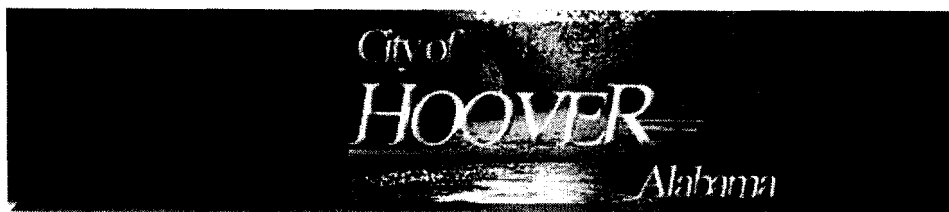
The Public Safety Communications Division receives 911 calls and dispatches personnel and equipment to police and fire emergencies. The Police Department also provides personnel to oversee the municipal jail and provide security for city parks.

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Fire Department

FIRE PREVENTION AND PROTECTION

There are eight fire stations located throughout Hoover to ensure the most rapid response time possible. The Hoover Fire Department maintains a Class 2 ISO rating which results in lower insurance rates for Hoover businesses and residents.

Of the 120 Fire Department employees, 91 have emergency medical training - 75 with paramedic certification and 18 with emergency medical technician certification. All Hoover paramedics have completed Advanced Cardiac Life Support training that focuses on the recognition and rapid treatment of cardiac problems. In addition, four rescue units are equipped with defibrillators - the most effective treatment for cardiac arrest.

The Hoover Fire Department participates in SAFEPLACE - a national program that encourages children and youth to seek assistance at neighborhood fire stations. Counseling services are available 24 hours per day. All eight stations are designated to be SAFEPLACE shelters.

Hoover Fire Department also operates a hazardous material response unit trained to respond to spills of dangerous substances and other environmental emergencies.

How to Contact the Hoover Fire Department:

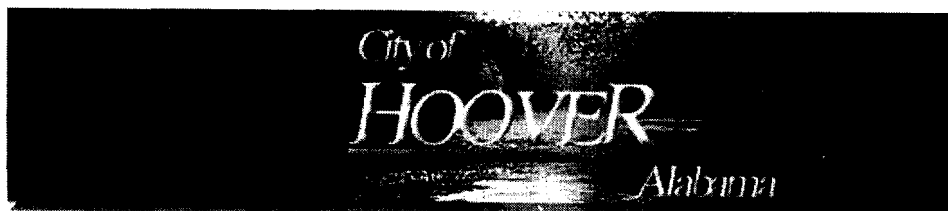
Fire Administration Office

250 Municipal Drive

Hoover, AL 35216

Phone Number: (205) 444-7655

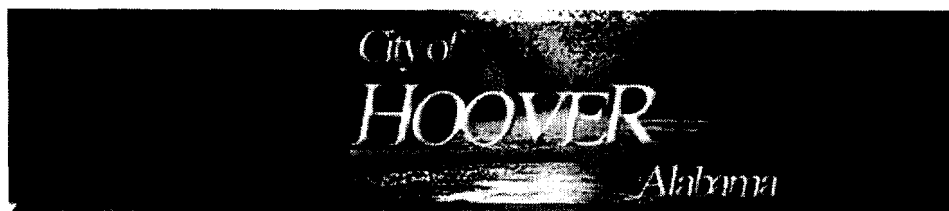
In Case of Emergency - Dial 911

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Fire Station	Address	Phone
No. 1	1953 Braddock Drive	(205) 822-5099
No. 2	1581 Patton Chapel Road	(205) 823-4060
No. 3	803 Riverchase Parkway West	(205) 988-3983
No. 4	800 Municipal Drive	(205) 444-7711
No. 5	588 Park Avenue	(205) 822-0370
No. 6	310 Edna Road	(205) 985-4298
No. 7	100 Inverness Center Parkway	(205) 980-0946
No. 8	121 Village Street	(205) 408-0706

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Public Works Department

CONTACT INFORMATION

Hours:

Monday – Friday
7:00 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Hoover Public Works Department
400 Municipal Drive
Hoover, AL 35216

Phone: (205)444-7543

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Hoover, Alabama

The Hoover Chamber of Commerce, its officers and its board members extend a warm welcome to you. We pride ourselves as being one of the South's fastest growing communities, offering new and progressive opportunities every day.

Hoover is one of Alabama's most dynamic cities. Hoover residents enjoy a quality of life that is unsurpassed in the Southeast. The scenic beauty of wooded mountains, valleys and rippling streams is within reach of our people.



In Hoover, community and business leaders have joined together to work for the welfare of all the citizens. A modern new library, recreation center and Alabama's largest most modern high school are evidence of Hoover's emphasis on this quality of life. Quality educational opportunities underscore our commitment to the future.



Visit us through our website and share the enthusiasm and excitement that are the prevailing themes of this dynamic city.

We are proud of our community. Our sincere wish is that you find our community to your satisfaction. Please contact the Hoover Chamber of Commerce today, and allow us to welcome you to Hoover, Alabama - where living is beyond compare.



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Largest employers and number of employees
Churches within the city
Civic Clubs ie Rotary, Lions, Boy Scouts
Medical Facilities within the city, name, # beds, clinics, etc.
Annual activities, festivities
History of the city

Tamara Brown
202-783-4211 fax
tybrown@shb.com
202-783-8400

Largest employers
BellSouth - Riverchase Galleria - 2,250
Blue Cross/Blue Shield - Riverchase Pkwy - 2,200
BellSouth - Data Dr - 2,019
BellSouth - Hwy 280 - 1,178
Raytheon - Hwy 280 - 1,000
HealthSouth Corp Headquarters - Hwy 280 - 900
EBSCO - Hwy 280 - 850
Southern Company - Hwy 280 - 600

Churches
Discovery United Methodist Church - 5487 Stadium Trace Pkwy, Hoover, AL
Hunter Street Baptist Church - 2600 Highway 150, Hoover, AL
Bluff Park Baptist Church - 2211 McGwier Dr, Birmingham, AL (In Hoover CL)
Prince of Peace Catholic Church - 4600 Moss Creek Blvd, Hoover, AL

Annual Activities

Bruno's Memorial Classic (Golf Tournament, Senior's PGA) - April 24-29
Birmingham Barons home games played at the Hoover Met
Hoover Rotary Club Annual Golf Classic Event - June 21

The City of Hoover is located in north-central Alabama within the Birmingham metropolitan area and occupies approximately 44 square miles within Jefferson and Shelby counties - the latter being one of the fastest growing counties in the United States. Hoover was incorporated in May of 1967 with a population of 410. In just 33 years, the city has grown to approximately 65,000 and is now the sixth largest city in the State.

History of Hoover

When plans were made in the late 1950's to widen Highway 31 southward from Birmingham, William Hoover knew that things were about to change for the largely undeveloped area just south of Vestavia Hills. He bought as many acres of land as he could, opened an insurance company, and thus planted the seed that grew into the City of Hoover.

In 1967, the city was incorporated - all four blocks of it. Hoover was initially comprised of only 410 citizens. Just six years later, however, the city boasted a population of 3,594 and other areas wishing to capitalize on Mr. Hoover's foresight began to seek annexation into the city limits. Interstates 65 (Alabama's primary North-South artery) and 459 were constructed to meet in the heart of Hoover. The \$300 million Riverchase Galleria was built in 1986 and rapidly became the state's premier shopping, dining, and entertainment center.

While growth of the city was rapid, its citizens and elected officials have worked to preserve the lovely surroundings that lent much to the quality of their lives. Hence, much of Hoover today enjoys the scenic views afforded by hills and valleys with old-growth forests and sparkling creeks. Exit the interstates, turn a corner and, suddenly, you are surrounded by towering oaks and flowering dogwoods that wrap the neighborhoods in green serenity.

The population of Hoover now exceeds 65,000 and continues to grow. Hoover's many attractions have served as magnets drawing families, singles, retirees, entrepreneurs, and professionals to make their homes and businesses in Hoover. They have come to Hoover because it is: Peaceful ... Proud ... Prosperous.

CITY OF HOOVER

Significant milestones

1980 Annexation of the Riverchase area - which has grown into a prime residential and corporate office community

1985 Annexation of the historic Bluff Park area - a neighborly community with awe-inspiring views of foothills and valleys

1985 Construction of the new Hoover Municipal Complex adjacent to Interstate 459 and US Highway 31 featuring a "City Hall" building and Public Works facility

1986 Opening of the Riverchase Galleria - the largest shopping mall in the state and one of the largest in the Southeastern region of the United States. It features over 200 specialty stores and is anchored by Macy's, Parisian, Rich's, Sears, J.C. Penney's, and McRae's Department Stores. The mall also includes many fine restaurants, a US Post Office, the Wynfrey Hotel, and a 250,000 square foot office tower.

1988 Opening of the Hoover Metropolitan Stadium - home of the Birmingham Barons Southern League (AA) baseball team (in the Chicago White Sox farm system) and the minor-league host of stars such as Michael Jordan, Bo

Jackson, and Frank Thomas

1988-1989 The Hoover City School System began operations with seven schools and 5,243 students. The system has been a tremendous enticement to families desiring quality education for their children. The Hoover school count is now 13 with two more scheduled school openings in 2001. The student population now exceeds 9,700.

1990 Annexation of the Greystone area - a 3,000 acre development that is home to the Greystone Golf and Country Club - the venue for the annual Bruno's Memorial Classic Senior PGA Golf Event

1992 Opening of the Hoover Public Library & Theatre - an impressive 45,000 square foot structure housing an estimated 190,000 items and featuring a 250-seat state-of-the-art theatre. An expansion project to be completed in December 2000 will increase the size of the Library/Theatre to 80,000 square feet.

1993 Opening of the Hoover Recreation Center - a multi-use facility featuring a gymnasium, one-eighth mile indoor track, an eight-lane indoor pool, racquetball courts, fitness equipment, meeting rooms, and a child-care area

1995 Acquisition of the Eddie and Kay Aldridge property for the development of a botanical gardens - a beautiful 30-acre site that features the Aldridge's patented "Snowflake Hydrangea". Aldridge Gardens is currently being enhanced to add a parking area and a visitor's center.

1996 Hosted International Olympic soccer teams who used the city's Riverchase Sports Park as a practice facility in preparation for the 1996 Olympic Games

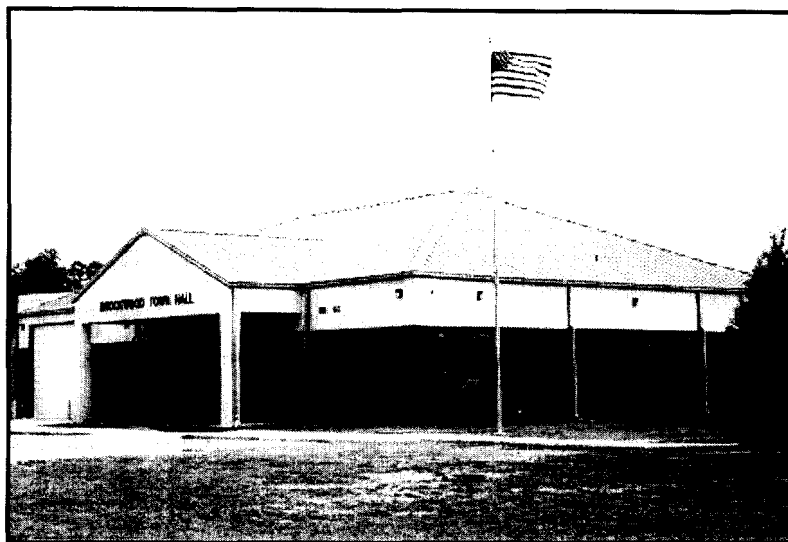
1997 Opening of two new fire stations - brings the total number of Fire Stations in Hoover to eight

1997 Acquisition of Spain Park property - the future home of Spain Park High School (in 2001) and recreational sports fields

2000 Dedication of the 250-acre Moss Rock Preserve as a Hoover Park. This park features wooded land, rock formations, streams, and waterfalls that will be preserved in their natural state for the enjoyment of hikers and naturists.

EXHIBIT 3

Where is Brookwood, Alabama?



Brookwood Town Hall

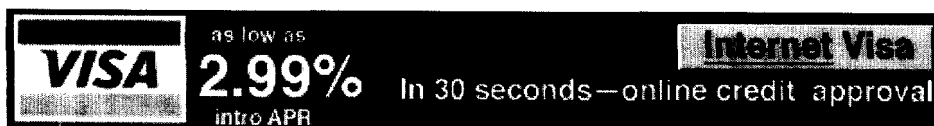
Located in West Central Alabama, the Town of Brookwood (population 658) is 55 miles southwest of Birmingham and 18 miles northeast of Tuscaloosa. Brookwood has a long history of coal mining, beginning in 1890. Several coal mines operated here supplying local coke ovens (some are still standing) and the steel industry in Birmingham. Jim Walter Resources moved its headquarters from Birmingham to Brookwood in 1977, the same year the Town of Brookwood was incorporated.

Brookwood is the home of the Brookwood High School "Panthers" and has 1,100 students in grades 7 - 12. The first high school in Brookwood was built in 1898. Jim Walter Resources became partners with Brookwood High School in 1986 through the Adopt-A-School program. Black Warrior Methane, Corp., a subsidiary of Jim Walter Resources and SONAT, adopted Brookwood Elementary School in 1989. Brookwood Elementary School has approximately 900 students in grades K - 6.

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Al-Hy Properties	12121 Chigger Ridge Rd	Brookwood, AL	(205) 553-1761
Big Hurricane Baptist Church	11216 Big Hurricane Rd	Brookwood, AL	(205) 556-0870
Big Tom's Barbeque & More	16995 Highway 216	Brookwood, AL	(205) 562-0092
Bikers Dream	15540 Walden Pond Rd	Brookwood, AL	(205) 553-7240
Billions Jill MD	16175 Highway 216	Brookwood, AL	(205) 556-9407
Black Warrior Methane Corp	17100 Methane Ln	Brookwood, AL	(205) 556-0655
Black Warrior Transmission	16243 Highway 216	Brookwood, AL	(205) 554-6270
Bread Of Life Evangelistic	15566 Highway 216	Brookwood, AL	(205) 507-0508
Brookwood Elementary School	16049 Highway 216	Brookwood, AL	(205) 553-3690
Brookwood Grocery & Hardware	15712 White Oaks Ln	Brookwood, AL	(205) 556-1179
Brookwood High School	15981 Highway 216	Brookwood, AL	(205) 553-3307
Brookwood Medical Cln	16175 Highway 216	Brookwood, AL	(205) 556-9407
Brookwood Motors	15747 Highway 216	Brookwood, AL	(205) 507-1230
Brookwood Oil Field Svc	13075 Covered Bridge Rd	Brookwood, AL	(205) 553-3310
Brookwood Package Store	15712 White Oaks Ln	Brookwood, AL	(205) 556-7838
Brookwood Police Dept	15689 Highway 216	Brookwood, AL	(205) 556-0103
Brookwood Shell Truck Stop	10001 Covered Bridge Rd	Brookwood, AL	(205) 553-6228
Brookwood United Methodist Chr		Brookwood, AL	(205) 556-9341
Brookwood Volunteer Fire Dept	15689 Highway 216	Brookwood, AL	(205) 556-7411
C & C Transcription Svc	14304 Rockhouse Rd	Brookwood, AL	(205) 477-4082

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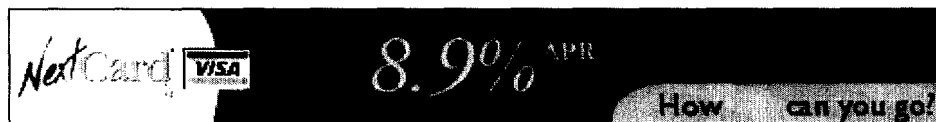
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Capstone Drilling Inc	15574 Highway 216	Brookwood, AL	(205) 554-0448
Carrie's Kitchen	15721 Highway 216	Brookwood, AL	(205) 553-8928
Charles L Cherry & Assoc	12084 Nectar Ln	Brookwood, AL	(205) 553-5001
Chrisley Woodworks	16918 Highway 216	Brookwood, AL	(205) 556-0616
Citizens Water Svc	15909 Highway 216	Brookwood, AL	(205) 556-2224
Davis Creek Baptist Church	14055 Milldale Rd	Brookwood, AL	(205) 477-0910
Dollar General Stores	16124 Highway 216	Brookwood, AL	(205) 633-1717
Donna Box - Box Insurance	16114 Highway 216 # Ff	Brookwood, AL	(205) 556-6554
Dresser-Rand Compression Svc	17012 Highway 216	Brookwood, AL	(205) 556-9420
E Z Car Care	15897 Highway 216	Brookwood, AL	(205) 507-0069
East Brookwood Missionary Bapt	16914 Highway 216	Brookwood, AL	(205) 554-1595
Ebenezer Missionary Baptist	5700 Belle Sumpter Rd	Brookwood, AL	(205) 428-7127
Edward L Caffee Tree Svc	13971 Rockhouse Rd	Brookwood, AL	(205) 477-4997
Environmental Services Inc		Brookwood, AL	(205) 553-9284
First In Line Video	15618 Highway 216	Brookwood, AL	(205) 556-9700
Hagood Home Repair	15247 Howton Loop Rd	Brookwood, AL	(205) 553-2151
Hannah Home	16618 King Ranch Rd	Brookwood, AL	(205) 553-0045
Henry's Burgers N Cream	15687 Highway 216	Brookwood, AL	(205) 554-1932
Hudson Home & Auto Inc	15897 Highway 216	Brookwood, AL	(205) 553-2799
Hughes & Hughes	15893 Highway 216	Brookwood, AL	(205) 553-5856

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Business Name	Address	City	Phone
Ids Inc	14550 Milldale Rd	Brookwood, AL	(205) 477-2195
Jim Walter Resources Inc	13365 Lock 17 Rd	Brookwood, AL	(205) 554-6600
Jim Walter Resources Inc	16243 Highway 216	Brookwood, AL	(205) 554-6150
Jim Walter Resources Inc	18069 Hannah Creek Rd	Brookwood, AL	(205) 554-6750
Jim Walter Resources Inc	12972 Lock 17 Rd	Brookwood, AL	(205) 554-6550
Joan's Beauty Salon	12118 Covered Bridge Rd	Brookwood, AL	(205) 556-6690
Jones Home Comfort	12577 Covered Bridge Rd	Brookwood, AL	(205) 553-0632
Joy Mining Machinery	15556 Highway 216	Brookwood, AL	(205) 556-5004
Ken's Store & Bait Shop	14132 Highway 216	Brookwood, AL	(205) 553-0099
M & R Foilage	11571 White Oaks Ln	Brookwood, AL	(334) 285-7259
Pense Brothers Drilling	11925 Chigger Ridge Rd	Brookwood, AL	(205) 553-3033
Piw Inc	12882 Lock 17 Rd	Brookwood, AL	(205) 553-1280
Pleasant Grove Baptist Assn	16995 Walden Pond Rd	Brookwood, AL	(205) 554-7706
Prudes Creek Baptist Church	Rr 1	Brookwood, AL	(205) 491-5548
Silks N-Season	15937 Highway 216	Brookwood, AL	(205) 556-6151
Sloss Federal Credit Union	16072 Highway 216	Brookwood, AL	(205) 556-8240
Southeast Drivers Inc	10001 Covered Bridge Rd	Brookwood, AL	(205) 562-8168
Southeast Termite & Pest Contr	14002 Milldale Rd	Brookwood, AL	(205) 477-9421
Southern Breeze Inc	10510 Midway Church Rd	Brookwood, AL	(205) 554-0746
Southland Resources Inc	14695 Lock 17 Rd	Brookwood, AL	(205) 553-3050

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Speedmart Food Ctr	15463 Highway 216	Brookwood, AL	(205) 556-2605
Spray Crete Inc	15690 Walden Pond Rd	Brookwood, AL	(205) 553-5000
Stanley Caffee Tree Svc	13975 Rockhouse Rd	Brookwood, AL	(205) 477-6313
Town Of Brookwood	15689 Highway 216	Brookwood, AL	(205) 556-1300
Trims & Grins Inc	16114 Highway 216	Brookwood, AL	(205) 553-0977
Umwa	Highway 216	Brookwood, AL	(205) 553-8200
United Mine Workers Of America	16946 Highway 216	Brookwood, AL	(205) 554-0172
United Mine Workers Of America	2245 Brookwood	Brookwood, AL	(205) 556-0309
Universal Compression Inc	15545 Highway 216	Brookwood, AL	(205) 556-8492
US Faa Vortac		Brookwood, AL	(205) 553-8229
US Post Office	15605 Highway 216	Brookwood, AL	(800) 275-8777
West Alabama Commercial Ind	15526 Highway 216	Brookwood, AL	(205) 554-0017
West Alabama Millworks	15526 Highway 216	Brookwood, AL	(205) 554-0017
West Brookwood True Gospel	12882 Lock 17 Rd	Brookwood, AL	(205) 507-0580
Williams Pallet Svc Inc	10719 Big Hurricane Rd	Brookwood, AL	(205) 553-6412

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Brookwood High School	15981 Highway 216	Brookwood, AL	(205) 553-3307
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Brookwood Medical Cln	16175 Highway 216	Brookwood, AL	(205) 556-9407

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bwmcbm@compuserve.com**

In 1979, Jim Walter Resources, Inc. (JWR) began a pilot program to determine if it was economically feasible to degasify coalbeds in advance of mining. Originally, five wells were drilled in the area of No. 4 Mine, located near Brookwood, Alabama, for the test. This pilot project was successful and in 1981 JWR and Enhanced Energy Resources formed the Brookwood Degasification Project as 50/50 partners.

On September 1, 1983, a new company, Black Warrior Methane Corp. was formed to replace Enhanced Energy Resources as operator of the degasification project. In 1988, Southern Natural Gas Company bought Enhanced Energy's half of the company. Today, Black Warrior Methane Corp. is jointly owned by Jim Walter Resources and Sonat Exploration Company.

From the five wells in 1979, Black Warrior Methane now operates 421 wells delivering 50 million cubic feet of gas per day to its sole customer, Southern Natural Gas. Black Warrior Methane uses three methods for extracting methane from JWR's coal seams: vertical wells drilled from the surface; underground horizontal drilling used primarily for improving longwall operations; and gob wells which pump gas from the area left after longwall mining has taken place.

In addition, Black Warrior Methane also owns Black Warrior Transmission Corp., which operates the 30 miles of gas pipeline used to deliver the methane gas. The total value of gob gas sold from the Brookwood Coal Degas Field is approaching \$500,000,000.



Jerry Sanders, President of Black Warrior Methane Corp., is shown in front of one of the 421 gas wells his company operates. These wells produce over 50 million cubic feet of gas per day.

Population and Housing - Detailed Tables

P045. Place Of Work---State And County Level - Universe: Workers 16 Years And Over

Data Set: 1990 Census Detailed Tables - Sample Data (STF3)

	Brookwood town,Alabama
Worked in State of residence:	
Worked in county of residence	236
Worked outside county of residence	28
Worked outside State of residence	2

U.S. Bureau of the Census
1990 Census of Population and Housing

P046. Place Of Work---Place Level - Universe: Workers 16 Years And Over

Data Set: 1990 Census Detailed Tables - Sample Data (STF3)

	Brookwood town,Alabama
Living in a place:	
Worked in place of residence	116
Worked outside place of residence	150
Not living in a place	0

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P047. Place Of Work---MSA/PMSA Level - Universe: Workers 16 Years And Over

Data Set: 1990 Census Detailed Tables - Sample Data (STF3)

	Brookwood town,Alabama
Living in an MSA/PMSA:	
Worked in MSA/PMSA of residence:	
Central city	58
Remainder of this MSA/PMSA	178
Worked outside MSA/PMSA of residence:	
Worked in a different MSA/PMSA:	
Central city	11
Remainder of different MSA/PMSA	14
Worked outside any MSA/PMSA	5
Not living in an MSA/PMSA:	
Worked in an MSA/PMSA:	
Central city	0
Remainder of MSA/PMSA	0
Worked outside any MSA/PMSA	0

U.S. Bureau of the Census
1990 Census of Population and Housing

P048. Place Of Work---Minor Civil Division Level - Universe: Workers 16 Years And Over

Data Set: 1990 Census Detailed Tables - Sample Data (STF3)

	Brookwood town,Alabama
Living in the 9 Northeastern States:	
Worked in the minor civil division of residence	0
Worked outside minor civil division of residence	0
Not living in the 9 Northeastern States	266

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NOTE TO ALL DATA USERS: All survey and census results contain measurement error and may contain sampling error. Information about these



BROOKWOOD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL



Brookwood Elementary School

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Welcome to Brookwood Elementary School!

We are located in the town of Brookwood in west central Alabama about 35 miles southwest of Birmingham and 18 miles northeast of Tuscaloosa. Brookwood is a school in the Tuscaloosa County School System. Tuscaloosa is home of The University of Alabama.

Our school population in grades K-6 is about 990 students. We have a diverse student body ranging from children of coal mining families (Brookwood's major industry) to children of professionals and business executives.

Classes were first held in our present building in the fall of 1968. The enrollment has increased beyond the capacity of the building. Many of our classes are housed in portable classroom buildings. In 1996, the Tuscaloosa County School Board provided funding to build a ten classroom addition to help accommodate our growing student body. We have a 10,000 square foot activity building which was provided from funds raised by the PTA. It is used for school assembly programs, PTA meetings, and physical education classes.

Thank you for visiting our web site. Please e-mail us with your comments—Brookwood Elementary School

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Activities



Brookwood Elementary School



Sock Hops

Mrs. Moore gives last minute instructions to students before the music begins at the Valentine Sock Hop.

Student Council

Student Council consists of two representatives from each class. Each year it sponsors Talent Shows, Dances, Balloons for Valentine's Day, Singing Valentines, and BooGrams for Halloween.

The proceeds from these activities have been used to support projects for our school.

Projects

Sound system for Activity Building
Ice machine for Activity Building
Risers for Chorus
Banner for Awards Day
Trophies for Awards Day



Field Day

Physical education coaches organize the annual field day competition. Students eagerly anticipate the next event.



Beautification Project

Principals plant flowers.



Author Visits



Junior Knowledge Bowl

Brookwood Elementary School consistently has an outstanding team in county wide competition.

~~Richard Stack~~
Richard Stack and his friend,
Recess,
visit our school.

Our school is the Winning—est team
in Tuscaloosa County. Our teams
have won in 1983-84; 1985-86;
1995-96; 1996-97; 1997-98.
Congratulations!!!

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Tuscaloosa Area Educational Facilities

Tuscaloosa's public school system consists of the Tuscaloosa City School System and the Tuscaloosa County School System. Several private schools round out the educational choices in Tuscaloosa.

☞ Brookwood Elementary

Brookwood Elementary School is located in west central Alabama. We are about 50 miles south of Birmingham. Brookwood is a rural school of the Tuscaloosa County System.

☞ Brookwood High

The school population of our 7-12 school is slightly over 1000 students with close to 75 faculty, administration, staff, and support personnel. The students we serve are products of a diverse socio-economic community and range in ability from the educable mentally retarded to the exceptionally gifted.

☞ Northport Junior High

Northport Junior High School is located at 2300 26th Avenue in Northport, Alabama. NJHS became part of the Tuscaloosa County School System in 1959. Holland Legg was its first principal. Other principals have included: Charles Miles, Jerry Shoemaker, Bobby Johnson and our current principal, Octavia Miles.

☞ American Christian Academy

Academics are at the heart of American Christian Academy. It is the desire of our Board that all students at ACA are prepared for college. Therefore all classes from preschool through the senior year are designed with college preparation in mind.

☞ Children's Discovery Center

"Where everyday holds a new challenge."

☞ Capitol School

The Capitol School features many components found in world-class schools and utilizes technology as a learning tool to create an individualized educational program to meet the intellectual, physical, social, and emotional needs of each child. The school's purpose is to serve as an R and D center and laboratory to implement school reform for America's schools--a private school with a public mission.

☞ Holy Spirit Campus

Holy Spirit strives to educate the whole person by promoting the spiritual, moral, physical and intellectual development of each student in a value centered

environment.

Tuscaloosa Christian School

*Tuscaloosa Christian School, a ministry of Cottondale Baptist Church, Began in September, 1969 with one kindergarten class consisting of ten pupils and was called "Sunshine Kindergarten".

University of Alabama

Since its founding in 1831 as the first public university in the state, The University of Alabama has been committed to providing the best, most complete education possible for its students. Our commitment to that goal means that as times change, we sharpen our focus and methods to keep our graduates competitive in their fields. By offering outstanding teaching in a solid core curriculum enhanced by multimedia classrooms and campus-wide computer labs, The University of Alabama keeps its focus on the future while maintaining a traditional college atmosphere.

Stillman College

Stillman College, founded in 1876 by the Presbyterian Church, U.S., is a four-year liberal arts college offering the bachelor of arts and bachelor of science degrees. It bears the name of Dr. Charles A. Stillman who came to Tuscaloosa in 1870 as pastor of the First Presbyterian Church and later helped to establish Tuscaloosa Institute, a school for young blacks entering the ministry.

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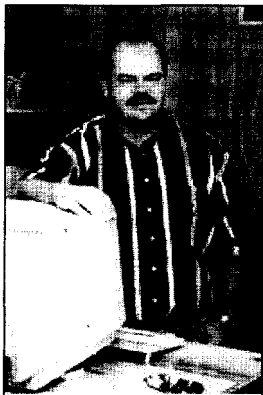
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Pricing	With over 100,000 samples analyzed, Precision Gas Testing is experienced in all aspect of underground mine air and coal bed methane gas testing. We specialize in mine air analysis for the detection and measurement of pre-combustion and post-combustion constituents in underground mine atmospheres at trace levels. Our gas testing lab can be transported worldwide for on-site gas analysis for research purposes and in emergencies.
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When you're looking for fast and accurate gas analysis you want someone you can trust. Meet David Sullivan, Chief Chromatographer for Precision Gas Testing.

David has been working in chromatography since 1985 and has personally analyzed over 100,000 samples from coal mines and coal bed methane production systems. With seven separate mine fires under his belt, David has the experience and expertise you can't find anywhere else.

David was trained by the late John Booker of Austin, Texas, one of the greatest analytical scientists to ever work in the field of chromatography. This is what he had to say about David in a 1992 memo:

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-----the late John Booker -

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